FIRST SHOW OF SEASON

Meet Charles and Avis Schmidt (facing page) of the Sunrise Chapter. Charles "Smitty", is the president and Avis is the treasurer of the chapter to start off the show season with the first show.

There were 54 gold seal blooms from which the judges had to pick the winners. Sweepstakes went to C. W. Grant of Boca Raton in the amateur section, the Trail Nursery of Fort Myers took the commercial sweepstakes and Mr. & Mrs. Walter J. Baum took the collectors sweepstakes.

Eva Rice of Boca Raton won the silver trophy for the best arrangement in the artistic section.

Mrs. Sam Teague of Vero Beach took the trophy for the best bloom of the show with her "Walker Lyon" which was also the best collector single. The "mini" trophy was won ty Trail Nursery with "Blue Boy", the best miniature double. Other winners were:

Best Amateur Single - "Sophisticate" - grown by Mrs. James Beachel of Florida Gardens, secretary of the Sunset Chapter
Best Amateur Double - "Elephant Ear" - grown by Billie Gill of Ft. Lauderdale
Best Collector Double - "Pink Frost" - grown by Mr. & Mrs. Gordon Fore of Homestead
Best Commercial Single - "Golden Promise" - grown by Reasoners Nursery of Bradenton
Best Commercial Double - "Finesse" - grown by Trail Nursery of Ft. Myers
Miniature Single - "San Toy" - grown by Trail Nursery

Single Seedling - "#13" - grown by Trail Nursery

Double Seedling - "#34" - grown by Trail Nursery

Old Timer Single - "Billy Boots" - grown by Mr. & Mrs. W. J. Baum of Ft. Lauderdale
Old Timer Double - "Flamingo" - grown by Mrs. Jannette Morgan of Florida Gardens

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